# E MABRY JUNIOR HIGH 10 West Miller Street Inman, South Carolina 29349 7 8 Middle School GRADES ENROLLMENT 420 Students Cathy C. McMillan 864-472-8402 PRINCIPAL SUPERINTENDENT Dr. James A. Littlefield 864-472-2846 BOARD CHAIR Henry T. Gramling 864-472-2846 THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA ANNUAL SCHOOL 2003 REPORT CARD ABSOLUTE RATING: GOOD Absolute Ratings of Middle Schools with Students like Ours Excellent Good Average Below Average Unsatisfactory U 17 25 5 IMPROVEMENT RATING: BELOW AVERAGE ADEQUATE YEARLY PROGRESS: ND This school met 17 out of 21 objectives. The objectives included performance and participation of students in various groups and student attendance rate. SOUTH CAROLINA PERFORMANCE GOAL By 2010, South Carolina's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the fastest improving systems in the country. FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT WEBSITES AT: WWW.MYSCSCHOOLS.COM

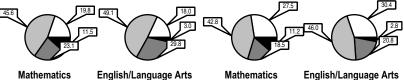
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	Absolute Rating	Improvement Rating	Adequate Yearly Progress
2001	Average	Unsatisfactory	N/A
2002	Good	Below Average	N/A
2003 2004	Good	Below Average	No

## PALMETTO ACHIEVEMENT CHALLENGE TESTS (PACT) RESULTS

Our School Middle Schools with Students like Ours



### Definition of Critical Terms

Advanced Very high score; very well prepared to work at next grade level; exceeded expectations

Proficient Well prepared to work at next grade level; met expectations

Basic Met standards; minimally prepared, can go to next grade level

Below Basic Did not meet standards; must have an academic assistance plan; the local board policy determines progress to the next grade level

NOTE: Science and social studies are to be included in the 2005 school report card.

### EVALUATIONS BY TEACHERS, STUDENTS, AND PARENTS

	Teachers	Students	Parents
Number of surveys returned	39	186	106
Percent satisfied with learning environment	92.3%	79.5%	85.4%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	100.0%	83.8%	69.2%
Percent satisfied with home-school relations	79.5%	91.2%	85.8%

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All students	425	100.0	18.0	49.1	29.8	3.0	32.8	17.6
Gender	423	100.0	10.0	49.1	29.0	3.0	32.0	17.0
Male	209	100.0	24.6	49.2	24.6	1.5	26.2	17.6
Female	216	100.0	11.8	49.0	34.8	4.4	39.2	17.6
Racial/Ethnic Group	210	100.0	11.0	43.0	34.0	4.4	33.2	17.0
White	336	100.0	13.2	50.2	32.9	3.8	36.7	17.6
African-American	68	100.0	39.7	42.9	17.5	N/A	17.5	17.6
Asian/Pacific Islander	9	100.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	17.6
Hispanic	12	100.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	17.6
American Indian/Alaskan	N/A	0.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	17.6
Disability Status	IV/A	0.0	11//1	11/1/1	14/74	TV/PC	TV/F	17.0
Not disabled	342	100.0	11.7	49.5	35.1	3.7	38.8	17.6
Disabled	83	100.0	45.9	47.3	6.8	N/A	6.8	17.6
Migrant Status	03	100.0	40.0	47.5	0.0	IN//A	0.0	17.0
Migrant	N/A	0.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	17.6
Non-migrant	425	100.0	18.0	49.1	29.8	3.0	32.8	17.6
English Proficiency	423	100.0	10.0	70.1	23.0	3.0	32.0	17.0
Limited English proficient	N/A	0.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	17.6
Non-limited English proficient	425	100.0	18.0	49.1	29.8	3.0	32.8	17.6
Socio-Economic Status	120	10010	1010	1011	20.0	0.0	02.0	
Subsidized meals	201	100.0	26.3	54.2	19.0	0.6	19.6	17.6
Full-pay meals	224	100.0	11.4	45.0	38.6	5.0	43.6	17.6
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All students	425	99.8	19.8	45.6	23.1	11.5	34.6	15.5
Gender								
Male	209	99.5	21.5	42.1	22.1	14.4	36.4	15.5
Female	216	100.0	18.1	49.0	24.0	8.8	32.8	15.5
Racial/Ethnic Group								
White	336	100.0	16.9	46.4	23.5	13.2	36.7	15.5
African-American	68	100.0	33.3	47.6	14.3	4.8	19.0	15.5
Asian/Pacific Islander	9	100.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	15.5
Hispanic	12	91.7	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	15.5
American Indian/Alaskan	N/A	0.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	15.5
Disability Status								
Not disabled	342	100.0	13.2	46.5	26.5	13.8	40.3	15.5
Disabled	83	98.8	48.6	41.9	8.1	1.4	9.5	15.5
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### **Abbreviations for Missing Data**

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Migrant Status

English Proficiency
Limited English proficient

Non-limited English proficient

Socio-Economic Status Subsidized meals

Non-migrant

Full-pay meals

Migrant

N/A

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$\overline{\mathbf{A}}$	Grade 3	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Grade 4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2	Grade 5	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2002	Grade 6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Grade 7	213	N/A	18.0	50.2	28.0	3.8	31.8
	Grade 8	182	N/A	21.4	46.7	26.9	4.9	31.9
	Grade 3	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Grade 4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
8	Grade 5	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2003	Grade 6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Grade 7	220	100.0	15.6	44.9	35.6	3.9	39.5
	Grade 8	205	100.0	20.6	53.6	23.7	2.1	25.8

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	Grade 3	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Grade 4	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2002	Grade 5	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
20	Grade 6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Grade 7	213	N/A	34.1	32.2	16.6	17.1	33.6
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20	Grade 6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Grade 7	220	99.5	17.6	39.5	27.3	15.6	42.9
	Grade 8	205	100.0	22.2	52.1	18.6	7.2	25.8

# SCHOOL PROFILE

o	ur School	Change from Last Year	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Middle School
Students (n= 420)				
Students enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7 & 8)	9.5%	Down from 11.1%	16.2%	14.4%
Retention rate	N/A	N/A	2.3%	2.3%
Attendance rate Eligible for gifted and talented	95.2%	Down from 95.8%	95.4%	95.2%
	20.1%	Up from 0.0%	16.2%	13.6%
On academic plans On academic probation	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
With disabilities other than speech Older than usual for grade	18.2%	Up from 17.0%	14.9%	14.1%
	1.4%	Down from 2.5%	4.8%	4.9%
Suspended or expelled	0.2%	No change	1.3%	1.3%
Annual dropout rate	0.0%	No change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n= 34)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	52.9%	Down from 58.1%	49.0%	47.1%
Continuing contract teachers	82.4%	Down from 87.1%	85.5%	82.5%
Highly qualified teachers	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Teachers returning from previous year	92.0%	Up from 88.9%	86.3%	84.3%
Teacher attendance rate Average teacher salary	96.6%	Up from 96.1%	95.3%	95.0%
	\$40,054	Up 1.0%	\$40,369	\$39,924
Prof. development days/teacher	8.4 days	Down from 15.2 days	10.5 days	10.7 days
School				
Principal's years at school	4.0	Up from 3.0	3.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio	18.6 to 1	Down from 22.9 to 1	21.7 to 1	21.0 to 1
Prime instructional time	91.2%	Up from 90.8%	89.0%	88.9%
Dollars spent per pupil*	\$6,729	Up 5.9%	\$5,659	\$5,854
Percent spent on teacher salaries* Opportunities in the arts	60.8%	Down from 62.5%	62.3%	62.0%
	Good	No change	Good	Good
Parents attending conferences	99.0%	No change	94.5%	94.8%
SACS accreditation	yes	N/A	yes	yes

<sup>\*</sup> Prior year audited financial data are reported.

	Our District	State	
Highly qualified teachers in low poverty schools	N/A	N/A	
Highly qualified teachers in high poverty schools	N/A	N/A	

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N/A Not Applicable	N/C Not Collected	N/R Not Reported	I/S Insufficient Sample

#### REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

"Hooray for Mabry and the Red, Write, and You" was our theme for the 2002-2003 school year. We emphasized writing through a partnership with USC-S as their first partnership school. We continued in our mission to provide a quality education for middle school students and enjoyed much success. Our school maintained its accreditation with SACS and continued its deregulated status with the Department of Education.

We are proud of the Red Carpet Award we received. Thanks to the PTO and our business partner, Milliken Chemical, for helping us achieve this award. Students, staff, and parents supported the March of Dimes, Leukemia Society of SC (Pennies for Patients), Children's Shelter, the Humane Society, servicemen and women, and needy families at Christmas. We continued to emphasize and expect good character from students and recognized "Cubs with Character" over 650 times. Thanks to our corporate sponsors, McDonald's and Pizza Hut, for making this possible.

Mabry students were top winners again in the Lt. Governor's Essay contest and the Milliken Art Gallery contest. Eleven students were SC Jr. Scholars and three were Duke TIP Scholars. Forty-six students were inducted into the Jr. Beta Club. Miss Susan Sawyer was named Mabry's Teacher of the Year. She was also named SC Business Educators Middle School Teacher of the Year. Our school web site was recognized with a Merit Award from the SC Association of Public Relations. Jane Enloe was named one of 100 Palmetto Gold Nurses for the state. Mrs. Dana Edwards and Mrs. Kathie Lindsey received a Palmetto Pride grant for recycling and beautification.

Our student athletes set good examples for teamwork and finished with competitive records in all sports. Students competed successfully in team and individual sports with Chapman High School in tennis, track, softball, and baseball. Our fine arts program continues to be an important part of our curriculum as over 54% of our students participate in visual or performing arts. Strings, band, and chorus groups received many awards at various competitions. Many thanks to our supporters.

During these times of economic uncertainty, our school staff pledges to strive for even greater gains in student achievement and success in all areas of the school program. An instructional focus for next year will be reading in all subject areas. We will continue to focus on providing the best educational program possible with the resources, determination, and creativity our staff, students, and community possess.

Cathy C. McMillan, Principal

### DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS

- Excellent School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal
- Good School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal
- Average School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal
- Below Average School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal
- Unsatisfactory School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal

## DEFINITION OF ADEQUATE YEARLY PROGRESS

As required by the United States Department of Education, adequate yearly progress specified that the statewide target is met for all students and for each subgroup of students: racial/ethnic, economic, disability, limited English proficiency and migrant status.